Statewide Voluntary Preschool for Four-Year-Olds 2008/2009 Technical Assistance* ~revised 9/24/08

Topic	Date(s)	Time	Target Audience	Format	Location	Additional Information
Early Childhood:	10/7/08	9:00-3:00	Early Childhood	Regional Meetings	Eastern Iowa	
What Admin Should			Administration NEW to Early		Coralville Public Library	
Know about QPPS	10/9/08	9:00-3:00	Childhood		Cent	ral Iowa
and Verification			(Elementary Principals,		Altoona P	ublic Library
			Superintendents, etc)			
QPPS **	9/22/08					
	10/29/08		Preschool teachers from		To be	
	11/19/08	9:00-11:30	awarded districts and their	ICN***	determined	
	1/21/09		community partners			
	2/18/09					
Creative Curriculum	See chart below for Creative Curriculum offerings in each AEA					
Portfolio Training			Preschool administrators and		To be	The second
	9/10/08	1:00-3:30	teachers from awarded	ICN	determined	ICN session
			districts and their community			will be a
	9/19/08	9:00-11:30	partners			repeat of the
						first one

^{*}The School Leader Update and the Department website provide monthly updates.

Creative Curriculum Professional Development

Dates (2008 – 2009)	AEA	Topic
September 16 – 18	AEA 267	Intro to Creative Curriculum
October 1 – 2	AEA 10	Intro to Creative Curriculum
October 6 – 7	AEA 1	Intro to Creative

Contact your local AEA consultant for locations of Creative Curriculum trainings in your area.

^{**}The Department is working with AEA Early Childhood staff to provide follow-up training during the afternoon of each QPPS session.

^{***}ICN sites will be distributed throughout the awarded districts. A facilitator will be assigned to each ICN site; therefore **no additional ICN sites will be added**. Every effort will be made to provide consistent locations of the ICN sessions throughout the series, but doing so is not guaranteed.

		Curriculum
October 22 – 23	AEA 8	Assessment: Power
		of Observation
November 13 – 14	AEA 13 (include AEA	Intro to Creative
	14)	Curriculum
December 1 – 2	AEA 11	Intro to Creative
		Curriculum
March 18 – 19 or	Tentative Date: AEA	Assessment: Power
April 1 – 2	14 (include AEA 13)	of Observation
June 9 – 10	Northwest AEA	Assessment: Power
		of Observation
June 11 – 12	AEA 9	Assessment: Power
		of Observation
June 15 – 16	GPAEA	Assessment: Power
		of Observation